

REMARKS

Claims 1-8 and 10-21 are currently pending in the present application. The Examiner's Answer states that the rejection of Claim 21 has been withdrawn, but that it remains objected to as being dependent on rejected Claim 19. In view of telephonic communication with the Examiner, Applicants are amending Claim 1 to incorporate the limitations of Claims 19 and 21 and are canceling Claims 19-21. Applicants submit that this amendment overcomes all rejections to Claims 1-8 and 10-18, and thus Applicants respectfully request the allowance of the present application.

Respectfully Submitted,

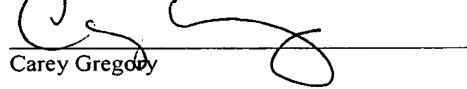


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